## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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TODD KREISLER,

Plaintiff,

v.

Civil Action No.: 12 Civ. 4052 (PAE) ECF CASE

PAPA JOHN'S USA, INC., a Kentucky business corporation, d/b/a PAPA JOHN'S, and 305 EAST 24TH OWNERS CORP., a New York corporation, PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AN AMENDED COMPLAINT

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The Plaintiff, TODD KREISLER, by and through his undersigned counsel, hereby moves for leave to amend the Complaint filed in this action. The proposed Amended Complaint is appended hereto and attached as Exhibit "A". In support, thereof, Plaintiff states as follows:

- 1. Plaintiff filed its Complaint against Defendants, PAPA JOHN'S USA, INC., a Kentucky business corporation, and 305 EAST 24TH OWNERS CORP., a New York Corporation, on May 22, 2012.
- 2. Defendant 305 EAST 24TH OWNERS CORP. filed its Answer to Plaintiff's Complaint on June 26, 2012. Defendant PAPA JOHN'S USA, INC., has appeared, however, has not filed an Answer or otherwise move with respect to the Complaint. PAPA JOHN'S USA, INC. was granted an extension of time to file an Answer or otherwise move with respect to the Complaint until July 31, 2012.
- 3. Information has come to the attention of Plaintiff's counsel that PAPA JOHN'S USA, INC. d/b/a PAPA JOHN's should be dismissed from this action, and KAIS ABID d/b/a PAPA JOHN'S should be substituted in. In addition, an additional party, PARKER EAST 24<sup>th</sup>

APARTMENTS, LLC, a New York limited liability company, should be a party in this action.

4. Plaintiff's counsel's sole purpose of amending the Complaint is to substitute

PAPA JOHN'S USA, INC. d/b/a PAPA JOHN's for KAIS ABID d/b/a PAPA JOHN'S, and to

add an additional defendant, PARKER EAST 24th APARTMENTS, LLC, a New York limited

liability company.

4. The court should freely give leave when justice so requires. Fed. R. Civ. P.

15(a)(2).

5. The Court should allow the filing of the Plaintiff's Amended Complaint because

no prejudice shall inure to the Defendants, and ample time remains for this case to be tried.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant this instant

Motion for Leave to file an Amended Complaint.

Dated: New York, New York

July 23, 2012

Respectfully submitted,

/s/Adam Shore

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I hereby certify, under penalty of perjury, that I have served a copy of the Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to File an Amended Complaint via the CM/ECF system upon: Jason Storipan, Esq., Fisher & Phillips, LLP, Attorneys for Papa John's USA, Inc., 430 Mountain Avenue, Suite 903, Murray Hill, NJ 07974, and Gary S. Ehrlich, Esq., Cantor, Epstein & Mazzola, LLP, Attorneys for 305 East 24<sup>th</sup> Street Owners Corp., 49 West 27<sup>th</sup> Street, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor, on this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July 2012.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/Adam Shore

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